

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A ~~Deformable~~ deformable illumination module, comprising: with
a plurality of circuit boards that have at least one optical emitter arranged thereon,
respectively, and that are connected into a chain by way of two electrical power supply wires,
wherein the electrical power supply wires are configured to run without interruption
across all circuit boards of the chain thereby creating a parallel connection of the circuit boards
of the chain[.]; and
wherein each of the electrical power supply wires is a continuous wire that forms a single
electrical contact to each of the plurality of circuit boards.
2. (Original) Illumination module as claimed in claim 1 wherein at least one further
electronic component is arranged on a circuit board, in addition to the at least one optical emitter,
and electrically connected to the optical emitter.
3. (Original) Illumination module as claimed in claim 1 wherein the electrical power supply
wires are connected to form a bundle between two circuit boards, respectively, in order to
reinforce the connection between two circuit boards.
4. (Original) Illumination module as claimed in claim 1 wherein the circuit boards are
grouped into a plurality of circuit board pairs and wherein the optical emitters, respectively, of a
circuit board pair are connected by way of a connecting wire between the two circuit boards.

5. (Original) Illumination module as claimed in claim 1 wherein the optical emitters are light-emitting diode component parts.
6. (Previously Presented) Illumination module as claimed in claim 1 wherein the power supply wires between two respective circuit boards run in a meanderlike fashion.
7. (Original) Illumination module as claimed in claim 1 wherein the circuit boards are tapered in the direction of their ends that are pointed toward each other and wherein the power supply wires run together, starting from the widened middle part, along the edges of the circuit boards.
8. (Previously Presented) Illumination module as claimed in claim 7 wherein the circuit boards are configured in rhomboidal fashion or in the fashion of a flat-pressed hexagon or octagon having their long axes arranged along the main direction of extension of the chain.
9. (Original) Illumination module as claimed in claim 1 wherein both the bending radius between two circuit boards as well as the distance between the two circuit boards can be varied.
10. (New) A deformable illumination module, comprising:
 - a plurality of circuit boards that have at least one optical emitter arranged thereon, respectively, and that are connected into a chain by way of two electrical power supply wires,
 - wherein the electrical power supply wires are configured to run without interruption across all circuit boards of the chain; and
 - wherein the two electrical power supply wires run along opposite edges of each of the circuit boards.